

Tips for motorists



While Hyperfix 65/70 is limited to 85 days, project leaders will work hard to minimize inconvenience to those traveling in and through Indianapolis. The bridge and surface repairs along I-65/I-70 will require some traffic rerouting, entrance ramp closures and detours. Here are some things you can do to better cope with the construction and minimize its effects.

Plan ahead. To reach your destinations safely and quickly, log onto the Hyperfix 65/70 Web site -<http://www.hyperfix6570.in.gov>- to check ramp closures, entrances and alternative routes. Consider traffic patterns and prepare for delays. You also can e-mail maps and directions from the Hyperfix 65/70 Web site to others who may be joining you for special events or meetings downtown.

Stay alert. For your safety and the safety of others, watch for ramp closures and detour signs. Electronic Dynamic Message Signs also will help alert you to changes in driving conditions and alternative routes. For more traffic information, tune into local radio stations for traffic updates.

Be informed. Use the Hyperfix 65/70 Web site to find maps, directions, ramp closures and detours, and alternative routes. If you have questions, concerns or need more information, [please e-mail](#) us or call (317) 232-5533. Also, you may want to contact your destination for more information about special hours, parking or building access.

Tune in. Check traffic reports on the radio or television before leaving. Recorded information about construction also will be available by calling (317) 234-7065.

Stay flexible. Allow more time to reach your destination. Have an alternate route in mind in case of excessive delays or incidents. Also, check with your employer about flexible hours or other ways to minimize commuting time. Consider traveling during off-peak hours to avoid traffic.

Drive smart. Use proper turn signals for lane changes. Do not weave in and out of traffic. Keep a safe distance from the car ahead. Minimize distractions such as using cellular telephones. As always, buckle up.

Tips for businesses

Hyperfix 65/70 will require ramp closures and detours that may change the way you do business. Here are some things you can do to minimize the effects of construction on your business.

Be a source of information. If a ramp is closed near your business, consider sending a flyer or an e-mail postcard to inform your customers of an alternate route. Maps from the Hyperfix 65/70 Web site can be downloaded and used in these materials. You can place handouts near the cash register or in a convenient location by the door. For regular customers, consider including flyers with billings or other mailings.

Educate your suppliers. When placing orders, make sure your suppliers know about construction and detours. The Hyperfix 65/70 Web site can provide alternative routes and directions to your business from any part of the city affected by the shutdown. Work with your employees. If possible, consider offering your employees flexible hours that can increase time spent doing good work and decrease commuting time.

Stay informed. As construction proceeds, some closed ramps will reopen and some open ramps will be closed. It's important to stay up to date on changes so you and your customers know what to expect. INDOT will help with media announcements and updates to the Hyperfix 65/70 Web site. We'd be happy to provide you with e-mail updates and alternative routes.

Talk to us. If you have questions, concerns or need more information, please call (317) 232-5533.

Travel alternatives

To ease traffic congestion and help you reach your destination, consider using IndyGo or carpooling with those who live and work near you. Also, consider using one of the Indy Greenways bicycle trails. At any time, you also can load your bike from the Greenways trails onto an IndyGo bus.

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